Isham Waugh is very sick with the measles.

A. W. Gum, of Bartow, was in town Tuesday on business.

Mrs Lucy Gay was at Lobelia over Sunday with Mrs Susan Peck

Rev Mr Bain, of Dunmore, is an Richmond on his vacation.

Rev Mr Patterson, of Beckley, was in town Tuesday.

E. M. Slavin was in Greenbrier last week. He reports some corn being cut.

Mrs R M. Beard has been taken to the Hinton Hospital for treatment.

Craig Friel, depot agent at Hosterman, was in Hinton Sunday to consult Dr Cooper.

Sergeant John Waugh is absent on an extended trip in the State of Ohio.

Miss Ella Pritchard, of Dunmore, is visiting friends in Fayette county.

The new Baptist church at Ronick was dedicated Sunday. A large crowd attended.

W. W. Camden killed a rattler four feet long at Droop mountain lle was inspecting ties, and found the snake in the pile.

Mrs W. W. Camden and her little children, Ruth, Eva and Arthur, returned from a three week's visit to relatives in New Jersey.

John E Schmidt, the Baltimore tailor, was here this week, fitting suits for which he tooke measurements some weeks since.

Mrs Carroll, aged one hundred years. who lives with her daughter, Mrs Curry on Stoney Creek. passed through town Monday on her way to Anthonys Creek to visit her son.

A. D. Williams was in Weston last week attending the annual M. P. Conference. He was elected chairman of an organization whose object is to raise a fund of $100,000, for the care of indigent ministers, their widows and orphans

J. B. White has rented A E Smith's warehouse and will succeed him in the supply business. Associated with Mr White will be his brother, F. M. White. who will move his family here to take advantage of our superior school facilities. These gentlemen need no introduction nor recommendation, being well known here.

George Sensebaugh, aged 84 years. died at his home near Clover Lick. last Thursday night. Many years ago this worthy old man came here from Rockbridge County. By unremitting toil he amassed a large fortune. He never married, and for years has lived alone. Of his father's family there remain a daughter and two sons.

Professor Davenport, one of the brightest stars in the galaxy of elocutionists and impersonaters, entertained a good house at the Grand Tuesday night. He is a cartoonist of no mean skill and his "chalk engravings" are fine. He very kindly illuminated the walls of our sanctum with a cartoon, a nature and a sentimental study.

H. C. Russell has raised the boss musk mellon of the season. it is of the banana variety and is nearly as large as Mr Russell himself. The mellon weighed twelve pounds, was two feet long and twenty inches in circumference. We took the measurements, and that was all we got, too. From an editorial viewpoint, town gardeners are not much. If Admiral Grover decides to give his proposed lecture course on gardening, we trust he will give special stress to the ethics of the profession.

Mrs C. W. Peyton has returned to her home in Texas.

W. N Sedgar and J. L Baxter left this morning for Atlantic City for a two weeks vacation.

Rev and Mrs Hiatt, of Ronceverte' are here. They expect to move to town next month.

The venerable Henry Barlow and his son, the Hon D L. Barlow. went to Lewisburg Friday.

Mrs F R Hunter and her little daughter, Helen Virginia, are expecaed home from the Springs this week.

John D Rorke gave us a forked or double ear of sweet corn He had a large number of these freak ears in his garden.

We are in receipt of a postal card, a scene in the Fiji Islands, from our friend, G. D. McNeill, who is with the fleet in the Pacific The postmark is Fiji, Aug 1, '08

The teachers of Elray district have organized a reading circle, L, W. Burns is president and L J. Moore, secretary. The first meeting will be at Elray school house October 3. The subject will be Literature. A committee composed of Misses Blanche Smith and Mary Hannah and H. A. Walton will prepare the program. An invitation to attend is extended to all interested.

The third and last uniform examination will be held in the school building at Marlinton Friday and Saturday, September 11 and 12, beginning at 7 a m.

R A. Kramer and Calvin W Price were in Ronceverte Saturday to attend the annual meeting of the Greenbrier Valley Press Association. The next meeting will be held in Marlinton. The officers for the ensuing year are A S Johnson, President; Geo. T. Argabrite. vice President, and R A Kramer, Secretary.

John Campbell, who suffered a broken head in falling from a railway velocipede Sunday, August 23, died from his injuries Friday evening. He came to this county several years since from Monroe County, and had made his home at Academy, whence his mortal remains were bourne for burial on Saturday. The deceased was in his 50th year, and is survived by a wife and a number of children. —The accident which caused this death was rather peculiar. The victim had gone down to Clover Lick on a railway speeder. He fell from it backward, striking his head upon a steel rail. Mr Campbell did not realize the seriousness of his injury, but returned to his lumber camp. He was joking about his fall when he was suddenly seized with giddiness, and then became unconscious. In this state he remained until death.

There will be a municipal election Saturday for the purpose of voting on an additional levy of 20 cents. The Council thought it necessary and provided for this levy in the estimate, but a tax commissioner, the appointee of an administration that stands indicted by the better element of the party which placed it in power, took exceptions to the rate of levy. The duly elected council had no alternative than to neglect needed repairs and improvements, repudiate just obligations or appeal to the people for their endorsement and approval. The present council has shown itself safe, sane and conservative. If they prove themselves as good spenders as they are savers of the people's funds, they will show themselves the peers of the very excellent governing bodies which have managed our municipal affairs. The town needs improvements, and we can little less than to encourage our mayor and council by approving their action and giving into their hands the means necessary for carrying on our affairs.

The store of S. B Wallace & Company has been designated as a school book depository. This will be an accommodation not only to the people of this district, but the county as well.

The teacher's institute closed Friday afternoon, after an interesting, instructive session. After Tuesday, our next State Superintendent, A. B. Bush, of Hinton. was in charge as instructor, and a better one we have never had. His address Thursday night on Education was the best presentation of our needs on educational lines, and the benefits to be derived therefrom. If he is given an opportunity to put in effect his ideas, the school system of the State will forge rapidly to the front, until it occupies a place second that of no other State, as h schools of Hinton have done under his care. On Wednesday night Dr Guilfor delivered an scientific paper on tuberculosis. which was highly interesting and instructive.—One thing at this institute marks progress, and that was the shutting out of agents and other fakirs, who heretofore have gathered in such numbers as to be a nuisance.

State of West Virginia,
County of Pocahontas,
District of Greenbank, to-wit:

At a special session of the board of education of Greenbank District No 2 of Pocahontas county held at the regular meeting place thereof, on the second Tuesday in August, 1908, Present: John R. Hevener, President of said board of education, and E. N. Curry and R. J. Brown, Commissioners.

In accordance with section 3, chapter 9, of the Acts of the legislature of 1908, the board of education proceeded to make up an estimate of the amount necessary to be levied for the current fiscal year, to cover all district debts and liabilities payable during the year, including the probable expenditures for district purposes, and proper allowances for delinquent taxes, expenses of collection and contingencies, but deducting the money in the treasury applicable to the service of the year and district claims, doth determine and estimate the several amounts to be levied as follows:

BUILDING FUND ESTIMATE.

Maximum levy 15 cents on One Hundred Dollars of the valuation for 1908 and 12 1-2 cents on One Hundred Dollars of the valuation after 1908.

1. The amount due, and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source except from the levy of taxes to be made for the current fiscal year,

c From W. E. Arbogast, depository	168 93	
d Due on Cass House	100 00	
		$ 268 93

2 The debts and demands owed by the district as a whole, and payable out of the building fund

a Outstanding orders	1826 57	
b Current accounts due and unpaid	285 32	
		$ 2111 89
3 Salaries of district officers and employes.		
a President	20 00	
b Commissioners	40 00	
c Secretary	60 00	
d Truant officers	100 00	
e Janitors	600 00	
		$ 820 00
5 Delinquents,		
a Real estate	700 00	
b Personal property	70 00	
		$ 770 00
6 Commissions to sheriff	860 00	
7 Exonerations,		
a Real estate (land books)	6 00	
8 Other expenses,		
a Institute attendance	375 00	
b New buildings	2,500 0	
c School furniture	668 00	
e Repairs	200 00	
f Supplies	300 00	
g Text-books	500 00	
h Insurance	50 00	
i Painting	2 0 00	
m Coal and wood	900 00	
n Hauling	60 00	
o Printing	75 00	
		$ 6,189 00

TEACHERS FUND ESTIMATE.

Maximum levy 25 cents on One Hundred Dollars of the valuation.

1 The amount due, and the amount that will become due and collectible from every source, except from the levy of taxes to be made, for the current fiscal year,

a Balance due fund from sheriff	2,000 27	
c Due from general school fund Enumeration 1130	2,821 20	
		$ 4,911 99

2 The debts and demands owed by the district as a whole, and payable out of the teachers fund,

c Delinquent taxes (estimated)	700 00	
d Exonerations (estimated)	5 00	
e Sheriff's commissions (estimated)	850 00	
m For 14 teachers holding No. one certificates at $50 00 per month for 6 months	4,200 00	
n For 23 teachers holding No. two certificates at $40 00 per month for 6 months	5,720 00	
o For 8 teachers holding No. three certificates at $30 00 per month for 6 months	1,440 00	
	$ 13,415 00	

It appearing to the board of education that the total valuation of all the taxable property in this district, according to the last assessment thereof, is $6,195,608 57 being real estate to the value of $3,159,748 80 personal property to the value of $1,676,076 00 and railroad and other property assessed by the board of public works to the value of $1,359 779 29 as certified to this board by the officer whose duty it is to make out the land books according to the provisions of section 38 chapter 29 of the Code as last amended, and it appearing from the foregoing estimates that it is necessary to raise by levy, after deducting all credits, $8,582,00 for building purposes and $10,063.71 for teachers purposes: therefore a levy on each One Hundred Dollars valuation of thirteen and three fourth cents (13 3-4 c) for building purposes and sixteen and one-fourth cents (16 1-4 c) for teachers purposes will produce the estimated amount necessary as aforesaid for the ensuing fiscal year.

State of West Virginia,
County of Pocahontas

District of Greenbank To-wit:

I, J. H. Curry, secretary of the board of education in and for Greenbank district of said county and state, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the records of an order made and entered by said board on the 18th day of August, 908.

Given under my hand this 18th day of August, 1908.

J. H. CURRY,
Secretary Board of Education

The name of W. J. Judy appeared in the delinquent list from Greenbank district. It should have been J. W. Judy, as W. J. Judy paid his taxes last November.

HILLSBORO ACADEMY

The next session of Hillsboro Academy will open September 14, 1908 Pupils residing in Little Levels district and outside of the subdistrict will be admitted free

Located in the most beautiful section of the county. Academy presents conditions which are ideal for the establishment of a fine school. This part is well known for it's healthfulness and for the good influences of the community.

In the formative period of life it is quite necessary that the best of surroundings be given the child if he is to become the best citizen. We are not confronted with those baneful influences which are found in railroad towns and which frequently work great harm in schools.

This school is one of the oldest in the State, having been founded in 1842. It has always taken high rank in the county, and where quite a number of the citizens of the county received their education It now stands abreast of other institutions of its class in giving instruction in the higher branches This year we offer Latin, German, English, French, Algebra, Geometry and Physics. These subjects will be taught by men who are graduates of the leading colleges of the South.

There is a growing sentiment among the people to educate their boys and girls, as far as possible, in the home school. It is a saving in the matter of expense, but what is vastly more important the pupil can be at home under parental influence The pupil has advantages at home in being able to pursue more advanced work and to receive preparation for the colleges than was afforded the older ones. Then we should put forth our best efforts to build up the best school possible.

We trust that all who are interested in the education of our youth will give us their support in making this school a greater factor in the community, and in enlarging its sphere of usefulness This school should be made a district high school, and we hope the matter will receive the attention of the voters of the district. Any information regarding the school will be cheerfully given.

FRANK B COOPER.

Mt. ZION.

The past few weeks has been dark and gloomy on the hayers. Corn has the appearance of a prolific crop.

This county has been pretty smokey since Jasper Dilley has been representing a cigar firm of Greensboro. He is also in the tailoring business, and on his recent trip took the record waist measure.

Born, to Mr and Mrs A. W. Fertig, a daughter, August 19th.

J. A. Shrader went to May to spend a few days with his son.

Austen Sharp has finished making hay for J. F. Wanless.

Mrs Amanda Sharp was at Hevener Dileys last week.

Z R. Goulet was selling stock in the Hills Saturday.

The writer would like for the county court to purchase an airship or balloon to assist in emergencies in traveling from the Huntersville bridge around the hill to Marlinton.

Lester Shrader was around on his annual visit.

Jake Lightner, of Highland, was in the Hills last week buying calves.

Stonewall Lodge, No. 134, K. P Regular conventions held on Wednesday night of each week at Castle Hall in Arbogast building, corner 9th street and 4th avenue. Hour of meeting 8 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

PARIS D. YEAGER, C. C.
R. A. KRAMER, K. R. & S.

Marlinton Lodge, No. 127, A, F. & A. M.

Stated communicants held on the first and third Tuesday nights of each month in their Lodge room in the First National bank building at 8 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend these meetings and take part in the proceedings.

J. W. HILL, W. M.
T. S. MCNEEL, Secy.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7TH.

10:30 A. M. Devotional Dr. D. S Sydenstricker.
11 Address of Welcome, E H. Moore
11:30 Organization, Conducted by Dr. C. W. Eskridge.
12 Noon Recess.
2 P. M. Devotional, Rev. L. B Atkins.
2:20 What Men Have Done, Rev. O. G. White.
3 Address. Own Subject, Rev. H. Blackhurst.
3:30 How Can Interest in Sunday School be Increased? W. H. Hull.
4 Adjournment.
8 Devotional, Rev. J. C. Johnson,
8:20 A Chapter in Boys' Life, Rev. O G. White.
8:40 A Chapter in Girls' Life, Miss Mary Brown.
8:50 What Women Have Done, Mrs. E. C. Ambrose.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8TH

9:45 A. M. Devotional, Rev. B. M. Mitchell,
10 Echoes from the State Convention, Mrs. H. G. Baxter.
10:20 Reports from County, District, and School Secretaries.
11 My Father's Business, Rev. G. W. Marston.
11:20 Round Table, The Sunday School, The Teacher, The Pupil, The Home: Miss Nola Sharp, L J. Moore, J. C. Loury, Mrs. Dr. Lambert.
11:45 Music, Frost Choir.
12 Noon Recess.
2 P. M. Devotional, Rev. C. W. Peyton.
2:20 Systematic Sunday School Albert S. Overholt.
2:45 Reports of Committees,
3 Round Table, By All.
3:50 Selection of place for next Association and Distsict Associations.
4 Adjournment.
8 P. M. Devotional, Rev. B N. Simmers.
8:20 The Spiritual Side of the Work, W. L. Irvine.
8:35 The Brotherhood of the Church, S B Moore,
8:45 Conference and Association of Officers, Teachers, Superintendents, Secretaries.
9:30 Benediction, Dr. Sydenstricker.

G. P. MOORE, President
N. C. MCNEIL, Chairman Ex Com
A. D. WILLIAMS, Sec

Estimate of expenses and rate of levy for corporation of Seebert for the year 1908.

An itemized statement of the condition of the fiscal affairs of the town of Seebert, West Va., a municipal corporation, for the year 1908 made and published in accordance with an Act of the Legislature of West Va., passed February 16, 1908, and approved by the Governor, Feb. 26, 1908.

ESTIMATE OF RESOURCES.

The amount due the municipality of Seebert, and the amount that will become due thereto and collectible during the year 1908, from every source, excepting the amount that will be produced by the levy of taxes for the said year.

From licenses, estimated	$20 00
" fines "	50.00
" street tax "	58.00
From uncollected taxes, and all other sources, previous years	100 00
Total	$228 00

All expenditures under the several heads of expenditures to be made and payable out of the funds of the municipality for the current fiscal year, including the costs of the collection of taxes and other claims, with proper allowances for delinquent taxes and contingences,

For salaries of officers, police, etc.	$143 00
For Commission to Sergeant for collection	22 50
For street work	100.00
For delinquent and uncollectible taxes	25.00
For contingent fund and contingences	50 00
Total	$340 50

Total amount necessary to be raised by the levy of taxes for the current fiscal year $112.50.

Proposed rate of levy of taxes on the property of the municipality 30 cents on the $100 valuation.

Aggregate of the taxable property of the municipality	$50850 36.
Personal property	15986.00
Real Estate	19239 00
Property assessed by board public works	15625 86

State of West Virginia,
County of Pocahontas, to-wit:

I, W. M. Irvine, Recorder of the Corporation of Seebert, W. Va., do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the records of an order made and entered by the Town Council of Seebert, County and State aforesaid on the 18th day of August, 1908.

Given under my hand this the 18th day of August, 1908.

W. M. IRVINE, Recorder.

New Fall Goods.

HAVE JUST GOTTEN BACK FROM EASTERN MARKETS WHERE I PURCHASED A LINE OF

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Within The Next Few Days Every Thing In

FALL WEARING APPAREL

WILL BE ON DISPLAY.

My Prices (On Nearly Everything) are lower than the same goods were last year, where the price is the same, the quality of the goods is better.

I am in position to give you more for your money than heretofore.

And for your interest you should look at my lines and get my prices before making your fall purchases.

A. Harrison

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Young men prepared for any University or Professional School Thorough Instruction, Christian Influence, Home Life, New Buildings, steam heat, water on every floor, healthful location; up-to-date athletics; good foot ball, base ball and tennis teams,

Experienced Faculty; all degree men from best Universities. Two additional members of faculty. Enrollment doubled and school full last year, Ninety per cent, of old boys return. Arrangements being made to accomodate greater number of students Military Dicipline will be adopted.

B. M. MOORE, A. M. Principle,

LEWISBURG, WEST VIRGINIA.

Not Dead

We learn that some unprincipled parties are telling that we are not handling fertilizer and coal this fall, thereby hoping to increase their own sales.

We take pleasure in thus informing our patrons that we are still in the business at the old stand, and you will find our prices lower than the lowest quality considered.

Yours for business,

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